

May, 2014

Has it been two years already?? Our Council grants a member a term of two years to be the Grand Knight. It has been such a great two years. I have learned so much and have yet to learn so much more. I have gotten to work with some incredible men that have shown me what it means to be a Knight of Columbus. I have seen some incredible families that support us men they call the Knights. Because of our God and our families we can do God's work and support Fr. McGivney's dream of protecting our own.

I need to thank so many people that I would not be able to list all of them. I would also feel terrible if I would forget to mention even one person that helped shape my time as Grand Knight. I would like to thank all of my Officers that served under both of my years. I offer to them my gratitude and friendship for a job well done. I would like to thank my Brother Knights that put up with me during the meetings when they ran much longer than I wanted and when sadness touched our lives at the loss of a fellow Brother Knight. I remember sitting with my father during meetings and speaking with my Brother Richard about his experience with the different degrees. I miss them as I do many of the Knights that have passed before us. This position is much bigger than one man can do. That is why it takes a Council to accomplish all that God wants us to do. I would like to thank the wives and the children of my Brother Knights for allowing them to do God's work. Most importantly, I would like to thank my wife and my children who sacrificed time I would have normally spent with them and allow me to lead such a great Council. I need to thank my own brother Rudy for introducing me to the Knights of Columbus.

I would like to thank the Council for so many changes that took place these past years. Changing of the second meeting to a true social meeting with a successful lecture series afterwards. The introduction and praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet that is said before the General Meeting. The family nights during the summer months when we normally would not have a meeting. A family picnic not only in the summer but in the winter to celebrate our families. Our Council has invited our families to take a greater role in what we do as Knights.

I look forward to many more years of service to my God, my Council and to our Church. May God bless you and grant you all the graces He is able to bestow upon you and your families.

With great humility, Edward Chavez Sr. Grand Knight

#### IN MEMORAL:

## May & June Anniversaries: (2014)

Joseph A. Somerville	05/22/62		Adolf E. Spakowski, PGK 05/03/72		03/72
John E. Kilbane	05/09/75		Edward J. Kimmick		05/30/80
Vincent J. Amaddio	05/22/85		Leo T. Lasky		05/24/86
David C. Mersing Sr.	05/12/87		Thomas W. Ballash		05/19/90
Thomas O'Grady, PGK	05/27/91		Raymond Ted Mack, PGK		28/92
Robert T. Young	05/21/95	Jerome	J. Sklarek	05/13/99	
James D. Boehmer	05/29/99		Rev. Joseph Wagner		05/11/05
Edward F. O'Brien	05/06/08		Chuck Novak		05/29/10
Stuart A. Foster	05/19	9/13	Louis B. Marklir	ng	06/23/62
George A. Gross	06/23/72	Edward	J. Zarn, Sr.	06/	08/74
Melvin J. O'Hara	06/20/87	Bernard	l M. Lyons, PGK	06/28/93	
John W. Lesick	06/19	9/96	Frank Fanta		06/20/97
Leonard S. Emery	06/13/03		Guido J. Cassno		06/06/08
Robert Dorenkott	06/14/09				

Remember all those whom have died this past year.

#### **Special Notice:**

Please contact PGK Jerry Nowesnick if you would like to have a Get Well or Sympathy card sent to a Brother Knight or a member of a Brother Knight's Family. The Jerry can be reached at 440-336-0039. Or Email Nowesnick@gmail.com

### **Special Notice**

Brother Knights, this is a reminder that our Council will recite the Rosary at the wake of a deceased spouse. Please contact the Grand Knight Edward Chavez Sr. (440-282-9521) or the Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz at 440-235-0675 with the necessary information for the Rosary Call

#### Notice

Please review the names of the Knight and their families members, we would like to know those that still need our prayers. So we can keep the list current we will remove any names from the list if you do not call Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675, or Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964). Thank you for helping us.

#### **KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:**

Tim McKay, Rev. Cornelius J. Murray, Joe Burke, Lou Kaszas, Jean Chokan, Norm Musial's wife Pat, Dan Dugan, Kevin Sheehan Mother in-law Jeanne Yanochao, Shirley Wolfe's daughter Denise, Carol Senko wife of Phil, John Cooney, Bud Martynowski, And all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

#### **North Olmsted Knights of Columbus**

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Edward Chavez Sr. (440-282-9521)

Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675) Narrator" Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964)

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#### **Patrons**

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John Samoz Thomas O'Grady Gerald Buckle John McQuillen

Jeff Keeper Jim Soltis Jim Sanzi Kevin Sheehan Ron Glassco

Bill Goelnar Leonard Eifel Bill Marquard Joseph Marita

Farrell McKay PGK Edward Frindt Joe Hoehn **Scott Bliss** Jim Buckley

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#### Remember the Rosary

On the third Wednesday of each month the Rosary will be said in the Terrace Room. All are welcome to attend at 7:00 P. M. The second meeting of the month will follow the Rosary.

#### Request for patrons.

Brother Knights, For a few months now I have been telling you that the day could come when our Council may have to send out a newsletter only every other month due to the cost We need to find a way to pay the expenses. So we can know what is happening every month. The advertising has been our traditional method, but for years. It has been tough to get advertisers and as the space costs more every year to print more pages. For our wonderful members that enjoy being members but can't make it to many meetings, we have to keep them and all of us aware of upcoming events, current happenings and the status of recent news and activities.

If you have a computer and an email address you could help to decrease our cost by allowing us to send you the newsletter by email. There are still many Knights that have an email address but have to have a paper in their hands to read the news. Please reconsider and let us send the paper by email.

I am sure you have noticed the Patrons that have been helping by sending me \$10.00 and showing their names in our list. Will all of you please help and send me \$10.00 for your patron ad Checks need to be addressed to KofC #4731. Either see me at a meeting or an activity or send the \$10.00 to me. Jim Buckley, 27055 Oakwood Circle, Apt 110, Olmsted TWP, OH 44138. Please tell the companies placing ads that you saw their ad in our newsletter.

Please help before I have to send you a self-addressed envelope to ask you personally.

#### ATTEND A MEETING AND WIN!

Each Month until the end of this year a prize of \$10.00 per month will be awarded to the lucky Knight whose name is drawn, and is present at the meeting. GOOD LUCK!

The drawing for March was for \$80.00

The First meeting in March The winner was Henry Kleinhenz, he was present

The second meeting in March No winner was Drawn No Winners in April, May drawing will be for \$20.00



Co-winners of the Fr McNulty for Exceptional Dedication Award., Bill Goellner



Co-winner of the Fr. McNulty Exceptional Dedication Award. Kevin Sheehan



Knight of the Year, Jerry Nowesnick



Blue Coat of the year Firefighter, Carl Schanz



Lady of the year, Mary Goellner



Youth of the Year, Emma Kessler (Ralph Kearns, Emma's Grandfather accepted the award for Her)

See page 7 for the Volunteer of the year.

The above awards were given at the Communion Breakfast this past February.

## The officers for Council 4731 are:

Grand Knight; Edward Chavez

Treasure: Tom Vojtek

Recorder: Michael Okoniewski

Outside Guard: Mike Cipriano

Advocate: Bill Goellnar

Deputy GK: Paul Matheson

Chancellor: Scott Metsch PFN

Inside Guard: Steve Basch

Warder: Ron Glassco

## **Patrons:**

Peter Frank Rudy Ch'avez Sr. Edward Ch'avez GK Tom Kilbane PGK

John Zajac



Scott Bliss, Volunteer of the Year



Some of the cooking crew at St. Clarence for the Lenten Fish Fry's



Charles Peters Passed away Jan 29, 2014 at the age of 91. Charles was at the North Ridgeville Health Center.

Born Feb 14, 1922, Died Jan 29,2014

# THE FEST -- Sunday, August 3, 2014

Plan to join us on Sunday, August 3, 2014, for The FEST - our 14th Annual Catholic Family FESTival held on the grounds of the Center for Pastoral Leadership in Wickliffe. The FEST includes great Christian artists: Third Day, Colton Dixon, Mandisa, and for King & Country. The FEST also has great activities and displays for the entire family. The FEST is FREE and open to all, and concludes with an inspiring outdoor Mass. It's the highlight of summer for thousands from across our region. We hope you will join us and be one of them! For more information, go online to: www.theFEST.us.



Terri Baldwin was our February guess speaker



Renee Rawlings from St. Augustine was our guess speaker for March

Charity Tickets sales are due at the May 7th meeting. Your help in meeting our goal is important for the council. Contact Tom Vojtek at 440-235-3294 or bring your tickets to the May 7th meeting.

Also if you can help selling tickets at the Giant Eagle Stores Contact Tom. We can use your help.

#### General information

Tony Colnar celebrated his 95th Birthday on Feb 28, 2014. Tony has been a member of our council since the beginning.

Dorothy Dickey has past away last month.

**Visit our WEB SITE at www.kofc4731.org** . If you would like to view the NARRATOR on the web site and not receive a mailed copy please contact Tom Kilbane, (440-933-9964) tkilbane@ameritech.net; or Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675). We will be setting up an email delivery to let you know when the current NARRATOR is posted.



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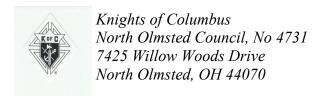
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# Next Meeting: May 7th MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST AND THIRD

WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 PM CALL 440-235-0675 FOR MORE INFORMATION

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

May	3	Knight at Races, St. Clarence Hall
May	6	Officers Meeting Classroom St. Clarence 7:00 PM
May	7	Regular Mtg. of Council 4731, 7:30 PM, Terrance Room St Clarence
May	21	Rosary before the regular Meeting 7:00 PM
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Jun	3	Officers Meeting Classroom St. Clarence 7:00 PM
Jun	4	Elections of officers for the new Fraternal Year.
Jun	4	Regular Mtg. of Council 4731, 7:30 PM, Terrance Room St Clarence
Jun	14	Flag Day
Jun	18	Rosary before the regular Meeting 7:00 PM
Jun	18	Regular Mtg. of Council 4731, 7:30 PM, Terrance Room St Clarence
Jul	1	Officers Meeting Classroom St. Clarence 7:00 PM
Jul	2	Regular Mtg. of Council 4731, 7:30 PM, Terrance Room St Clarence
Jul	4	Independence Day